



**BRANCH NORMAL (STATE) COLLEGE, PINE BLUFF, ARK.**

Founded 1875 by the state of Arkansas; Isaac Fisher, president. State and federal governments support. Valuation of property, \$92,000. Annual expenses, \$17,000. One hundred and sixty male, 156 female students in 1908; approximate age, twenty years. Two white, 8 Negro teachers. For some reason correspondence was delayed, and only the facts here stated are available.

**Georgia State and Industrial School,  
Savannah, Ga.**

**R. R. Wright, LL.D., President**

THE Georgia State and Industrial College was founded in 1891 by the state of Georgia. There were 14 teachers and 300 male and 72 female students in 1908. The annual expenses of about \$16,000 are secured by subscription.

**Shorter University, Argenta, Ark.**

**Rev. A. H. Hill, D.D., President**

FOUNDED in 1887 by Rev. J. P. Howard, of the A. M. E. Church. Named in honor of Bishop James A. Shorter, and supported by the A. M. E. Church. Two acres of land. Three buildings. Value, \$35,000. Ten teachers, 348 students (19 theological), in 1908.

**Snow Hill Normal and Industrial Institute,  
Snow Hill, Ala.**

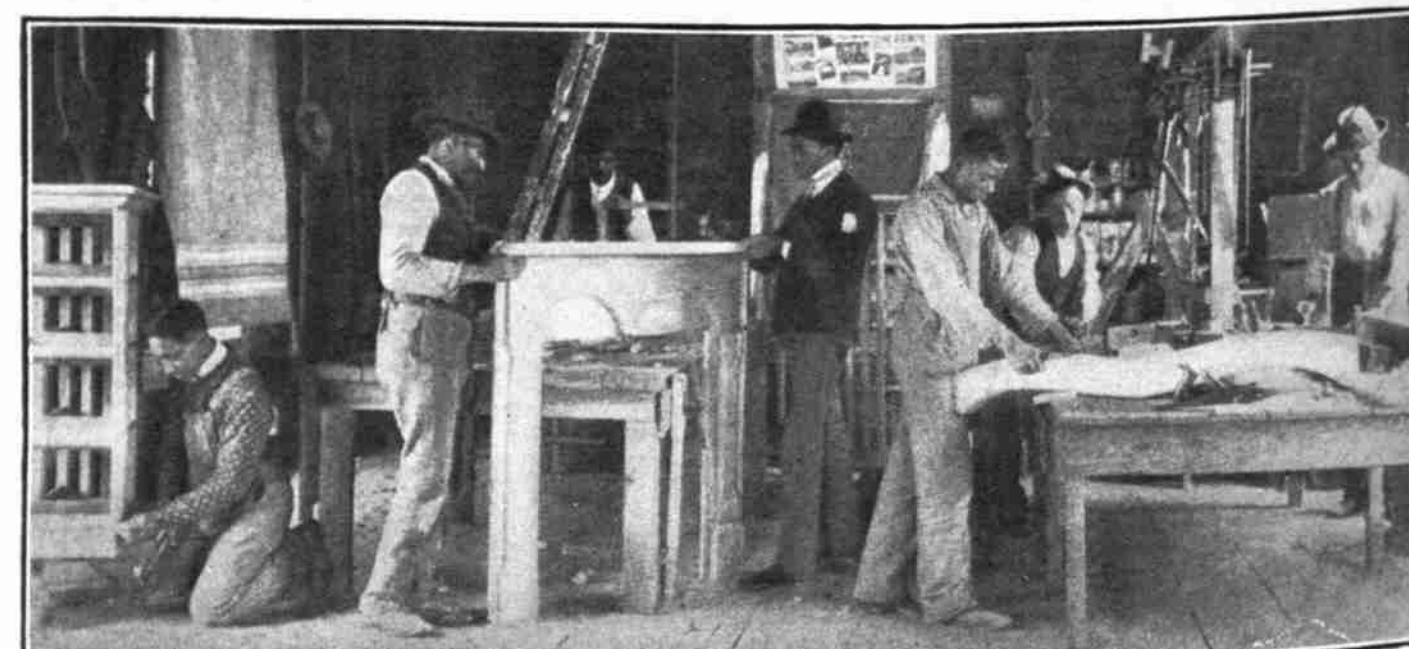
**W. J. Edwards, Principal**

FOUNDED 1894. Has property valued at \$46,476, of which \$11,000 is productive endowment. Annual income for expenses, \$14,500. Twenty-one teachers, 287 students, in 1907. In

March, 1908, the Snow Hill Institute acquired possession of 3,500 acres of land adjoining the regular school property, and entered upon a scheme of renting the land and selling homes, thus building up a community and securing an annual income to the school. For 1908, nearly one thousand acres were rented. Farming, carpentry, wheelwrighting, blacksmithing, painting, brickmaking, printing, sewing, housekeeping are taught.



**CLASS IN PLAIN SEWING, SNOW HILL INSTITUTE**



**THE CARPENTER SHOP, SNOW HILL INSTITUTE**